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**Celebrating the
Classes of 2015**

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Traditions celebrated at Heinsburg Grad

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Heinsburg Community School's five-member Class of 2015 was celebrated in unique style on Friday evening, the school's gym turned into an elegant setting with its ceiling, tables and chairs draped in black, purple and royal blue satin and the walls glittering with silver stars.

Graduates Alexandra Abraham, Joshua Abraham, Davis Desjarlais, Erin Jackson and Shayden Morin and their escorts were introduced by MC Keith Dawson and accompanied by the drums and voices of an honour song as they entered through a wrought iron arch flanked by shelves holding their silver-framed photos, but not before one of the graduates had added a very special touch to the evening. Shayden Morin in full powwow regalia delighted the crowd by performing a pair of traditional dances.

Dawson expressed thanks on behalf of the school to the parents of the grads, and added thanks to grad supervisor Marie Zayac and her assistants, before welcoming a number of special guests.

A longstanding Heinsburg tradition continued, as Erin Jackson passed the school colours to Grade 11 student Kerri Dion Walker, wishing her well in her final year of high school and expressing her confidence in the younger student's potential to succeed.

Shayden Morin thanked the school staff on behalf of the class "for pushing us to go farther and get this far in life, and helping up to graduate."

Brenda Paulo Begg spoke on behalf of the staff, noting that grad Erin Jackson had been in the first class she taught at Heinsburg, with three of the others added to her class in subsequent years. "This is a real honour," she said, reading a poem entitled, 'You Can Do Anything' and telling the class, "I'm here for you, I always have been, and I'm so proud of you."

Marjorie Scott presented the grads with commemorative blankets from the Heinsburg Community Club and added her congratulations to a class that makes the community proud.

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Vicki Brooker photo

HEINSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL GRADUATE SHAYDEN MORIN honoured his classmates and his community as he exhibited his tremendous talents in a colourful and traditional grass dance with style and flair.

Elk Point 4-H Multi Club showcases achievements

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Clouds threatened, but the rain stayed away from Saturday's Elk Point 4-H Multi Club Achievement Day, as members in projects ranging from Creative Options and Leadership to Horse and Market Lamb showcased their year's activities in front of the Alberta Centennial Stage.

Mistress of Ceremonies MacKenzie Evans introduced judges Travis and Blair Dow and ring man Jimmy Evans before calling all the members into the

ring, where the Cleavers led the 4-H Pledge and Parker Allen led the singing of O Canada.

Parker also spoke on his Creative Options project, that of learning the mechanics of building a guitar from a block of wood and ordering the parts for its completion, a project that he says is "a work in progress."

All members then had an opportunity to try their hand at judging, with this year's competition centering on four plates of dessert squares. Winners were announced at the end of the show.

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Grooming judge Blair Dow checked over the market lambs as the Elk Point 4-H Multi Club Achievement Day got off to a cool and cloudy start.

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Heinsburg Grad

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Frog Lake Band Coun. William Quinney made presentations to the grads, and said he brought "not so much greetings as a lecture. Graduation is a big moment in your parents' life, they are proud to watch their kids graduate, and you have the whole community behind you. We need you to carry on and go on to bigger things. Remember where you come from and who is behind you. If you need a hand, we'll be there. We are so proud of you." In closing, he advised, "Never walk into a challenge with fear, walk past the fear."

Brian Dillon also had a message, in both Cree and English, for the grads, explaining, "The elders tell us we must go back to our language, its words are very powerful. This week in Ottawa, the reconciliation program has begun. We will need you young people to fight our battles for us. We can blame our troubles on the residential schools, but we now have to educate our young people to go forward."

"It is an honour and privilege to celebrate the achievement of our youth," Herb Stanley told the crowd. "Every day is a learning experience. Having gone to trade school and college, I know you'll have a really great time. It's nice to see you make this achievement, Grade 12 is a really big step." Stanley then entertained with a beautiful flute solo.

Guest speaker for the evening was Kristen Lindquist, originally from Elk Point, who Dawson

said, "came to us in September, doing a project for her Native Studies Master's degree."

"I am a Métis woman," Lindquist said, adding that her project involved "people telling their own story in their own way, sharing the vision of the way they see their world. I was very encouraged by how they honoured each other's stories. Stories are more than lines on paper."

Lindquist, who said she worked in an Elk Point video rental store during high school and at Canadian Salt during summers, and followed high school by earning a degree in business and working in a diamond store, found the world of commerce was not part of her own vision. "I made a commitment to learn more about my own community. I felt I had so much to un-learn, and the more I learn, the less I feel I know." Her advice to the graduates was that "it is supportive to be with like-minded people. Nurture your ideas, and be kind, be patient, loving and tolerant."

Five elders came forward to present eagle feathers to each of the graduates, with Abigail Abraham, who decorated each feather with a different design of beadwork, asking the students to "take these feathers wherever life takes you. The ones who give the feathers to you will be always at your side, guiding you like a mother eagle would."

"It's hard to describe the emotions a parent feels when you see your child walk toward that stage," Conrad Desjarlais



HEINSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL'S CLASS OF 2015 - left to right, Shayden Morin, Erin Jackson, Davis Desjarlais, Alexandria Abraham and Joshua Abraham returned to the stage after receiving their scrolls amongst a storm of applause from proud families and friends.

said as he gave the message from the parents, noting that the graduates "thank us by achieving their dreams."

Joshua Abraham read a poem in his thank you to the parents, adding, "Thank you for your guidance." Davis Desjarlais thanked guest speaker Kirsten Lindquist and presented her with flowers.

Principal Carmen McLeod came forward to present the grads with their scrolls and turn the tassels on their mortarboards, and told the crowd, "I am so very proud of these young ladies and gentlemen. It is an honour to be standing here tonight with a class that shows an immeasurable amount of talent in so many ways." She added a special comment on each grad's abilities, and told them, "This is just the beginning, there is a world of possibilities out there. Do what you love, and do it well. Don't forget where you came from. Congratulations and best wishes to the Class of 2015, and thank you for the opportunity to get to know you, teach you, learn from you and be a part of your lives."



SYMBOLIC FEATHERS - Grads and elders paused for a moment of reflection after the presentation of symbolic eagle feathers.

Vicki Brooker photos

PASSING THE COLOURS - Grad Erin Jackson continued the school's long tradition of passing the colours on to a member of the next year's graduating class as she turned over the treasured document to Kerri Dion Walker.



HEINSBURG PRINCIPAL Carmen McLeod turns the tassel on Joshua Abraham's mortarboard, signifying his successful completion of high school.

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Tuesday, June 30th

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Movie starts 9:00pm

Canada Day map



Elk Point almost ready for Canada Day

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

It's just eight more sleeps until Canada Day, and the Elk Point Canada Day Committee and all the other groups involved the community's biggest celebration of the year are busy putting the finishing touches on their parts of what looks to be a busy, exciting and fun-for-all day on Wednesday, July 1.

The committee held their final meeting before the big day last week, and heaved a collective sigh of relief when the treasurer reported that the federal government grant and a number of donations have arrived since last month's meeting, bringing the total in line with the event's budget. The committee learned that they must apply by mid-November to qualify for a federal grant for next year's Canada Day event.

The committee also went through the July 1 program and received updates on the many events, starting off with the Friends of the Library's pancake breakfast, which will be served to all comers from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. at Elk Point Municipal Library. At the same time, the Elk Point RCMP Detachment will be holding their annual open house, with everyone welcome to stop by and meet the officers and staff.

Parade assembly begins at 10 a.m. on Railway Avenue, with the Elk Point and District Lions on hand to line up the floats and other entries. Judging by the Elk Point Community Lions will get underway at 10:30. The categories for this year's parade are once again Business, Antique Vehicles, Horses and Riders, Individual Freestyle, Children's Clubs and Organizations and Adult Clubs and Organizations, and pre-registration is NOT required. For safety reasons, if parade entrants choose to distribute candy or other materials, the committee suggests that they have walkers to hand it out, thus keeping the children at a safe distance from the parade traffic.

The Children's Bicycle Parade lines up immediately in front of the EcoCentre and will be judged at 10:45 a.m., just before the parade hits the street at 11:00. See route map above.

Will there be an Air Force jet flyover? That decision won't be known until the last minute, but everyone should have their cameras ready, just in case.

All that parade watching is likely to make everyone hungry, and there's a sizeable lineup of vendors ready to take care of that this year. Shirley Harms has

indicated that Lakeland Realty will once again show appreciation to the community by handing out free ice cream cones from 10 a.m. to noon. That's a great appetizer to enjoy before you head to the Seniors' Recreation Centre at 11:30 for the Ukrainian Orthodox Church's pyrogy dinner, which goes until 2 p.m. From noon until mid-afternoon, the Elk Point Co-op will be serving burgers, hot dogs and beverages on Main Street. Play2Learn Daycare will be serving healthy options beside the Elks Hall, and up at the arena, the concession will be open. Dine 'n' Dash and a donut stand will sell tasty treats, and Filipino and First Nations vendors are planning to be on hand with their traditional foods.

There will be more food later, but first there is a whole afternoon of activities, starting at 1 p.m. at the Alberta Centennial Stage northwest of A. G. Ross Arena, with the official flag raising, singing of O Canada and the announcement of the Great Elk Point Selfie Scavenger Hunt contest winners by Mayor Parrish Tung. The outdoor stage show will follow, featuring Andrew Scott, Heaven and Patience Colbourne, Brienne Greening, Brooke Yaremchuk and the Bonnyville-based True North band, as well as a variety of dance groups. Meanwhile, over at the outdoor skating rink and water Spray Park, the bounce castles and other activities will be underway, and over at the tennis courts behind the arena, the beer garden will be over to quench hot weather thirsts.

At 4:30 p.m., the focus will shift to the area south of the tennis court, where Elk Point Survivor will get underway, with a new obstacle added to the lineup this year, and organizers geared up to welcome an increased number of participants. Tempting whiffs of things to come may be wafting out the back door of the arena by then, as the participants in the Chili Cook-off fire up their stoves and slow cookers and stir up their secret recipes ready for judging at 5:30, after which, the crowd will line up to do some serious tasting of their own.

By 7 p.m., the contestants will be signed in at the Elk Point Arts and Leisure Centre, ready for the 7:30 performance of Canada Day Idol 2015. Dee Pankiw said entries were still coming in at the time of the meeting, and she expected to have a full schedule by the June 18 entry cut-off date.

The whole day winds up with a glorious fireworks display, north of the Alberta Centennial Stage at 11 p.m.

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Capsule Comments

Sunburns can be painful and damaging to the skin in the long term. A few tips on treating a sunburn: Move to a cool place; have a cool shower then apply a moisturizing cream and drink plenty of water. You can take an age-appropriate dose of ibuprofen to help with the inflammation and pain. Best way to prevent a sunburn: use a good sunscreen and avoid those hot times

of day from 11 to 4.

Just as water under too much pressure can damage a hose, if our blood pressure gets too high, it can damage the "hoses" carrying the blood around our bodies. Blood pressure in men starts to rise around the age of 45 and if left untreated can cause heart attack and stroke as well as cause damage to our kidneys. Men, if you haven't had your blood pressure checked lately, get it done soon.

It's been said that 60% of Alzheimer case are preventable. Here are a few ways: exercise your brain and your body by learning another language, challenge your body by using the opposite hand for teeth or hair brushing. Get a good night's sleep every night and keep your levels of stress to a minimum. Also, keep socially stimulated and involved in your community.

The allergy season is here again. If you are an allergy-sufferer, we invite you to use the knowledge of our pharmacist staff to help you choose an antihistamine that is appropriate for your medical condition and relieve the allergies as well. This is especially important if you are a senior. Use our knowledge to increase your knowledge about the medications you use.

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EDITORIAL

See the sights

One way to save money while having fun this summer is to do what the tourists do - sightsee, and take pictures, even after the Selfie contest is over. There's still the Horticulture and Craft Show to enter those photos and win cash.

How often do you go past the Peter Fidler statue and see visitors stopped there taking pictures?

Then there's the 100-foot-long historical mural - the library has brochures you can pick up that tells you who and what the pictures are all about.

Not far out of town is the town's River Campsite and it's viewing deck, where you can sit in the sun and take in a spectacular view of the mighty North Saskatchewan. This is another popular spot for pictures, and a great spot to picnic, too.

Speaking of picnics, the day use areas at local lakes are a great spot for those, at very reasonable rates, and also give you the opportunity to get in some beach time - a very important part of a 'stay-cation'!

RECREATION CORNER

Send in those selfies!

JENA COLBOURNE
Recreation Coordinator

At midnight, June 24th, your entries for The Great Elk Point Selfie Scavenger Hunt need to be in. Even if you just have a few done, you never know how many the next guy has collected, so there's still a chance you can win. There are 20 landmarks you must find and take a selfie with, the person with the most correct pictures will win a \$500 West Edmonton Mall Get-Away. Second place is a Family Movie Night thanks to Hometown Grocers and third place will receive a Family Dinner thanks to Empress Restaurant. In the case of a tie, the names will be put in a draw. Pictures can be emailed to recreation@elkpoint.ca and if you're sending multiple emails, make sure to put in the subject bar your name and that they are part of a series. Forms are available at Hometown Grocers, The Empress, and Elk Point Municipal Library (HINT: the library has historical books with the correct locations of the landmarks and you can be creative). Winners will be announced by Mayor Parrish Tung at 1:00 p.m. on the Canada Day Stage on Canada Day.

I want to give a big shout out to the Staffords. They hosted their annual For Pete's Sake Golf Tournament and are working hard to raise funds for a new park on Centennial Drive. Although the current park brings back fond memories of playing with my friends, it is definitely time for an overhaul. The Staffords have been raising money for two years for the park and had some good-news, bad-news over the last little while. Good news is The Town of Elk Point presented them with a cheque for \$15,000 to help erect the park, the bad news is one of the grants they were hoping to secure did not come through. They aren't letting that deter them however, and are continuing to search out grant funding and any fundraising opportunities that may come up. If you'd like to help you can get in touch with any one of the Staffords- they're easy to find!

We're wrapping up June and heading fast into the end of school and Canada Day. There's still time to get your bike shined up and geared up for the bike parade and we're always looking for more floats for the parade. Line-up is 10:00 a.m. at The Eco Centre on Railway Avenue on Canada Day.

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Way Back When...

Population increase, fairgrounds, landfill termination

HERE'S THE NEWS THAT MADE THE HEADLINES OF THE LAKELAND REVIEW AND ELK POINT REVIEW FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 23 IN...

1985

Elk Point's population topped 1,200 for the first time, with 1,209 residents counted in the census, up 7.9 per cent from the 1984 total of 1,113. Town council brought down the budget, with mill rates dropping 8.31 per cent for non-residential to 20.811 mills and down 7.46 per cent to 16.343 mills for residential ratepayers.

1990

Work was about to get underway on a 30-acre fair grounds just north of the Pan Canadian Petroleum office site, which would include a race track, rodeo ring, show facilities, and indoor riding arena and concession. The three-month-old Elk Point and District Choral Society Community Choir made its debut before an overflow crowd at Elk Point United Church with Don Buryn as conductor and Deanna Easthope at the piano.

1995

A lack of community support was hurting the A. G. Ross Arena, with low turnout for the operating committee's annual meeting resulting in its postponement and plans for the fall still up in the air. Ray Mitsuing of Loon Lake, Sask. broke the track record at Dewberry's annual chuckwagon race meet, shaving one-hundredth of a second off the record set by Buddy Bensmiller the previous year.

2000

Elk Point Town Council met twice in four days to deal with a heavy agenda that included entering into an agreement with the Town of St. Paul to haul all of their garbage to St. Paul's landfill, after the town received notice from the County of St. Paul terminat-

ing the town's use of the jointly operated landfill as of June 21. Edmonton House Black Powder Brigade welcomed a small flotilla of canoes that arrived at the Fort George and Buckingham House river landing during the forts' Powder and Horn event on Father's Day.

2005

F. G. Miller High School Crusaders saluted a combined 75 years of service to the school by custodian Alex Yarmuch, teacher Lawrence Pidluzny and principal Jim Hawkins, all of whom were leaving the school, Yarmuch and Pidluzny retiring and Hawkins moving to St. Paul Alternate Education Consortium. FGM's sports and sportsmanship achievements were also celebrated, Travis Lindquist and Devin Moneta receiving the first-ever Coach's Pick awards as well as athlete and sportsmanship awards, Amanda Poulin, Sage Lowry, Sabrina Stewart, Bailey Youngmans, Bryant Schnurer and Brett Lindquist receiving the other athlete and sportsmanship awards.

2010



Premier Ed Stelmach opens the EcoCentre.

It was a red, blue, green and gold ribbon day for Premier Ed Stelmach when he came to Elk Point to officially open the new fire hall, the newly renovated Northern Lights Library System headquarters, the Visitor Information EcoCentre, and the Elk Point Arts and Leisure Centre. Elk Point Outreach School celebrated their students' success with an "Evening in Paris" theme graduation in Fishing Lake, while the achievements of Heinsburg's lone graduate, Valeen Jackson, were celebrated by friends, family and school staff at the Silver Star restaurant in St. Paul.

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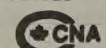


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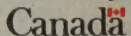
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Support still coming in for playground rehabilitation



Submitted photo

CANADIAN NATURAL RESOURCES LIMITED is proud to support the Pete Stafford Memorial Committee in its fundraising efforts for new playground equipment and is contributing \$8,000 towards the project. Top: (left to right) Hudson Krankowsky, Tenley Krankowsky, Chloe Campbell; bottom (left to right): Tina Campbell, Tori Becker, Brandi Krankowsky, Karen Stafford, Carrie Rawlake, Jackson Rawlake, Carrie Becker, Darcy Stafford, Tyson Stafford.



Submitted photo

THE TOWN OF ELK POINT has donated \$15 000 to the Pete Stafford Memorial Committee to go towards the rebuilding of the park on Centennial Drive. Top: (left to right) Hudson Krankowsky, Chloe Campbell, Tenley Krankowsky; bottom (left to right) Tina Campbell, Tori Becker, Brandi Krankowsky, Karen Stafford, Bernice Capjack, Parrish Tung, Darcy Stafford, Ken Gwordz, Dwayne Yaremkevich.

Recreation

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Don't forget to get pancakes in your belly first at the Library where the Friends of the Library are cooking up the Pancake Breakfast.

New to the celebrations this year are the Beer Gardens and The Chili Cook-off. The Beer Gardens will be held at the

Tennis Courts from 1:05 to 10:00 p.m. and the Chili Cook-Off will be serving deliciously brewed chili from 5:00-7:00 p.m.. As for contestants, they are still looking for more entries. Contact Jay at elkpointchilibowl@hotmail.com to enter or for more information.

Can't wait to see you all out for the celebrations on Canada Day in Elk Point - The Right Place to Be!

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Dated this 16th day of June A.D., 2015

Ken Gwozd, Development Officer

CANADA DAY CELEBRATIONS

... The right place to be on
WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 2015

- * **Pancake Breakfast**
8 - 10 a.m., Elk Point Municipal Library
- * **RCMP Open House**
8 - 10 a.m., RCMP Detachment
- * **Canada Day Parade 11 a.m.**
Parade Assembly 10 a.m., Railway Ave., Judging 10:30 a.m.
Kids' Bicycle Parade judging 10:45 a.m. at the EcoCentre
- * **Food Concessions** - Noon - 4 p.m., various locations
- * **Pyrogy Dinner** - 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m., Seniors' Recreation Centre
- * **NEW THIS YEAR - Beer Garden**
1:05 p.m. - 10 p.m., Tennis Courts
- * **Outdoor Stage Show** 1 - 4 p.m.
Alberta Centennial Stage (NW of A. G. Ross Arena)
Featuring Andrew Scott, True North, Ecuadorian Flute Player and local performers
- * **Royal Purple Birthday Cake** - 2 p.m. beside the stage
- * **Children's Activities** 1:15 p.m. - 5 p.m., North of Arena
Bounce Castles, Spray Park
- * **NEW THIS YEAR - Chili Cook-off**
Behind the Arena - Judging 5:30 p.m., Supper to follow
- * **Elk Point Survivor**
4:30 - 6:30 p.m., south of the Tennis Courts
- * **Canada Day Idol** - 7:30 p.m., Elk Point Arts and Leisure Centre
- * **Canada Day Fireworks** - 11 p.m., north of Outdoor Stage

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Elk Point BPO Elks Lodge busy this spring

LAWRENCE PIDLUZNY
Elk Point BPOE

The Elk Point Elks Lodge No. 460 had quite a busy schedule this spring. To start things off, our Wilderness Lake Park needed some TLC. Several Elks members and the community took to improving the potable water supply, removing deadfall around the park, repairing and cleaning up the bathroom facilities, raking the sand around the beach and playground, steaming and cleaning up the picnic tables, levelling off and increasing the size of some of the campsites, installing new signposts and even producing a brochure advertising the facility. Whew! What a lot of work, but worth it.

Donations always top the agenda at most of the Elks meetings. This spring we gave \$300 to The Love of the Game (Minor Ball), a new lawnmower to the silent auction at the Second Chance Trail Ride, \$500 to the Canada Day Committee, \$250 to the Walk For Children Fundraiser for the Elks and Royal Purple Fund for Children, \$1,500 towards the purchase of a shed for the Play2Learn Daycare Center, \$250 to the MS Walk for the MS Society, \$2,450 to Minor Ball for the purchase of ball caps, and \$1,000 to help a special little girl in her time of need.

Our Awards Committee also got busy to try and select recipients for the two scholarships we support.

The Elmer Bjornstad Scholarship, which rewards students who have good marks in at least five Province of Alberta Diploma Exams and are serious, hardworking, focused, organized and dedicated in their work was presented to Tammelle Pilisko.

The Steve Kuziw Memorial Award which identifies students who are respectful, helpful, have good social skills, are busy volunteers and promote a sense of community was given to Kelsey Phillips. Both awards consisted of a certificate and a cheque for \$1,000. Congratulations!

Three of our members attended the Alberta Elks Conference in Medicine Hat June 4-6, and five will be attending the National Elks Grand Lodge Convention in Whitehorse in mid-July.

Finally, we again wish to urge interested Elk Point and district residents to join our organization. We are a national, fraternal, and charitable organization promot-

ing and serving community needs through local lodge volunteers, but we also find ample time for fellowship and socialization. If you are interested, please call

President Don Pilisko at 780-724-2281 or Secretary Lawrence Pidluzny at 780-724-4339 for membership information.



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ALL SET FOR SUMMER VISITORS - The Elks Wilderness Campground on the west side of Kehewin Lake is already attracting plenty of campers this year, after some very busy week-ends of upgrading and sprucing up this spring.



THE STEVE KUZIW MEMORIAL AWARD - was presented to F. G. Miller student Kelsey Phillips by Lawrence Pidluzny of the Elk Point Elks Lodge.



THE 2015 ELMER BJORNSTAD SCHOLARSHIP went to Tammelle Pilisko, who accepted the \$1,000 award from Lawrence Pidluzny.

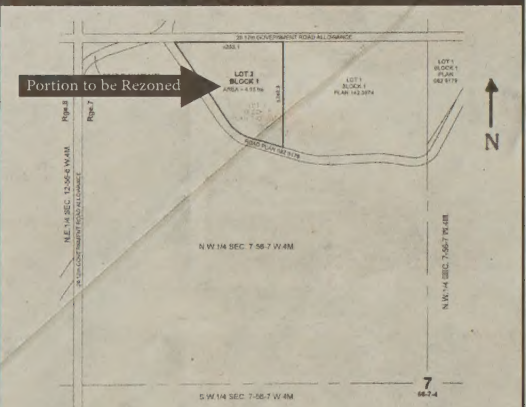


NOTICE COUNTY OF ST. PAUL NO. 19

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the County of St. Paul No. 19 is considering **Bylaw No. 2015-12** which is a Bylaw to amend the Land Use Bylaw No. 2013-50 as it relates to zoning of the following land:

Part of NW 7-56-7-W4M

Proposed rezoning from Agricultural to Country Residential One



A Public Hearing will be held on **Wednesday, July 8, 2015 at 11:50 a.m.** or as soon thereafter as can possibly be arranged, at the County Office (5015-49th Ave) in St. Paul.

Copies of the Bylaw and Plan may be inspected during normal office hours at the County Office.

For further information, contact the County Office at 645-3301, ext 205.

Krystle Fedoretz, Planning & Development Officer

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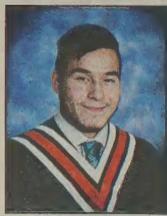
DAYCARE DONATION - Elks Michael Chubey and Lawrence Pidluzny joined the children, staff and parents from Play2Learn Daycare for a photo with the new storage shed that was built with financial the assistance of the Elk Point Elks Lodge, who donated \$1,5000 toward its construction.

This section is dedicated to the young men and women who are moving on to the next chapter in their lives.

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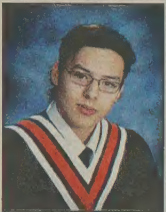
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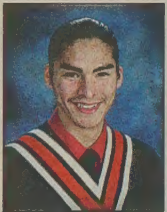
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ASHMONT GRADUATE - Ashmont Secondary Principal Darrel Kachmarchyk presents graduate Tristin Bull with her graduation scroll, June 12.

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Standing on the brink of a new chapter

BROOKLYNN HALFE

Ashmont Secondary valedictorian

Our high school years seem to have passed in a flurry of activities: courses attended, grades attained, extra curricular activities, social events and lessons learned. It is hard to believe that the next few months will see the graduating Class of 2015 facing new horizons and challenges.

Some of us may stay closer to home, some may move slightly further away and others could move to the other side of the country.

Wherever you may find yourself and whatever challenge you may have chosen to follow and explore - hold true to what shaped your yesterdays; acknowledge and appreciate what you are today and dare to be all that you can be tomorrow!

I know many of us have all in one point in our lives thought that we couldn't do something, that it was so impossible it wasn't worth the bother. I'm sure some of us if not most thought that about school. The late nights studying, the quizzes, the tests, the home-

work, the long days, but look where we are now.

We dared to keep going at a time where we thought that we could not have bothered waking up that morning. We are here at our high school graduation in front of our family and friends, one milestone in our lives of many others to come.

Today, we stand on the brink of a new chapter in our lives. Take a moment to reflect on everything that we have achieved. Take a moment to look back and to see and appreciate just how far

we have all come. Today is our opportunity to acknowledge our accomplishments.

You may find that your high school years were years well spent. You may find that you regret some of the opportunities that you allowed to slip by. Acknowledge them, accept them and then prepare to move on...to tomorrow!

You need to dare to dream to be all that you can be.

My thanks and fondest best wishes go with you one and all.

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NEW BEGINNINGS -
At right, Glendon graduates Kirsten Voltner and Grace Snyder receive their diplomas at the school's graduation ceremony, held on May 23.



Congratulations

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May your education and experience as a student serve you well in your career and your future. We wish you much happiness and fulfillment.

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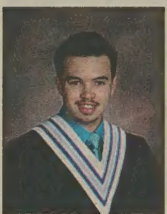
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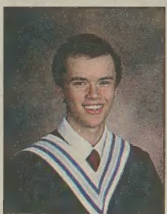
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What lies within us

MEGAN WANCHUK
Mallaig School Valedictorian

Thank you for joining us in celebrating this very special occasion. It has been well worth the 13 years of preparation that has got us to this point, but we haven't done it alone. We could not have made it without our parents and teachers who have pushed us in the right direction and instilled good morals and ethics within us. You have been our inspiration and our mentors for these past years.

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." After much thought, I realized that there is no better quote to describe us. From the moment I walked into Mrs. Benfeld's Gr. 3/4 classroom on my first day here, to this moment, I know every individual sitting upon this stage has their own unique personality and talents. And although our goals have changed from the elementary days of trying to fling our boogers, to the junior high days of getting your crush to notice you, to the high school days of planning for the future, we have been united by

our desire to learn about ourselves and do our best. Even though our goals are unique, each and every goal has helped us to reach this milestone we are celebrating today.

Growing up in a small town can sometimes have its challenges, but it is one of the main reasons we are who we are. I'll never forget our Grade 10 Drama trip, where us 'Country Bumpkins' got one of our first doses of life in the big city. From working out the mechanics of how not to become stuck in revolving doors, to navigating downtown Edmonton in heels, to experiencing the diversity of urban people while being stuck in the public library, waiting for our bus to be fixed. Rural life has shaped us into unique individuals who are independent, creative, hard working and determined; individuals who will succeed where ever our lives may take us. Even though many of us look forward to exploring the world beyond Mallaig, we know it is the foundation of who we are and will guide our dreams and goals for life.

There are many people who are responsible for helping us to reach this special

moment in our lives. To our parents: you have guided us and supported every step of the way, instilling life lessons that we will keep with us forever. You have allowed us to pursue our wildest dreams by providing a solid foundation of love and stability. You have been our hardest critics, our biggest fans and have never lost faith in us. Now it is time for us to venture from your trusting hold, into our futures, and we can truly not thank you enough for helping us to become the strong individuals we are today. To our teachers: you have encouraged us throughout our school careers. Thank you to our elementary teachers who started us on this journey and implanted us with a love of learning. Without you, this journey would not have been possible. Thank you to our Jr. and Sr. High teachers for being with us every step of the way and for your continual support throughout the years to see that we reach this moment in our lives. You have been like a second family to us, always there to help with whatever dilemma we have encountered and for this we are truly grateful.

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CELEBRATE

Your hard work has paid off, and graduation is your time to celebrate.

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We hope your graduation day is special in every way, and we wish you much luck as you take the next step.

Congratulations to all the 2015 graduates!



From the
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No. 19

Your Journey Continues

As you celebrate your graduation, many new opportunities open before you.

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Life is your new classroom - go forward boldly

GLEN BRODZIAK

Superintendent of St. Paul Education Regional Division

ness/feelings of nostalgia, and yes, sometimes, even complete boredom.

For me, that grad stage represents a crossroads. If you Google the word crossroads, one definition you will find is, 'an intersection, or a point at which a crucial decision must be made that will have far-reaching consequences.' Watching those eloquently dressed young adults upon that stage, it seems to me that life should almost pause for a split second in recognition of this moment. One



Supt. Glen Brodzia

'still' moment in time to allow our grads (and their parents) to reflect on and bundle those col-

lective past experiences before stepping ahead to adult life and the wonder and promise of what the future holds for them.

As our grads sit here at this crossroads, my one message is that although a large portion of your formal education is now complete, your life will always be about learning. Your new challenge is to learn from past habits and behaviors that have proven unsuccessful and apply those lessons when making future choices.

Life is your new class-

room. Albert Einstein said, 'We cannot solve our problems with the same thinking we used when we created them.' Every day, please experiment, discover, and gain knowledge.

Life is going to get hard at times, but research is pretty clear that gaining an understanding from life's hardships creates resilience, and resilience leads to happiness and contentment. So forgive yourself for the silly, crazy or thoughtless things you have done;

learn from them, dust yourself off, and keep going.

In closing, I hope you will look fondly on your childhood and school experiences. Please know the past ultimately has no power over your future, so look ahead with confidence and don't ever sell yourself short. On behalf of St. Paul Education Regional Division #1, I want to congratulate the graduating classes of 2015. May your future be filled with good health and happiness.

You're at home here.



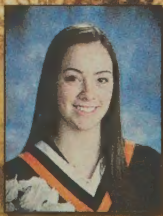
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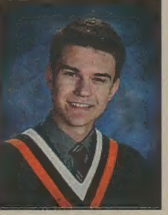
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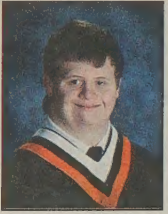


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VALEDICTORIAN - Sherise Quinney speaks at the Kihew Asiniy graduation this June.

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ON STAGE - Vilna School's Class of 2015 listens to the wise words of their principal, Bob McKay, near the end of their May 30 convocation ceremony.

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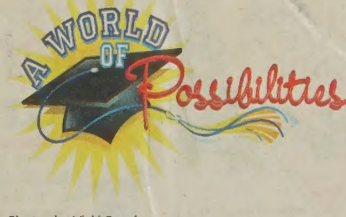
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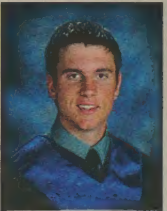
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like support from family and friends and all the freedoms you have.

Things I will miss most from SPAEC is how Tanya and Elliott nicely persuaded me to come to school and complete my course or else they would kick me in the butt or kick me out of school.

I will also miss the interesting never concluding conversations that make our days go by better during breaks and class time. The most memorable one was when Tanya mentioned how she would want to live in an old age home and then Elliott gave some interesting statistics about men and women aged 65 and up, which made her change her mind. Also the many other topics I cannot mention in great detail. But many of the grad knows what I am talking about.... Dustin.... Matt.... Aleiha... Ben... great times and great people.

I would like to thank all the staff of SPAEC and Elk Point Outreach School for helping all of us achieve our goals. The future is in our hands lets make the most of it.

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Review Sports

Not all the teams that played in the Lakeland League finals that were held this past weekend reported in Sunday night by press time, so we will give you more next week, but we do know the Pee wee Puma girls sure did, if fact, they are the

Lakeland League Champions!!!
In the first game on Saturday in Bonnyville at 9 a.m. they defeated Cold Lake 11 to 8, then defeated St. Paul 23 to 15 at 11 a.m. in their second game, sending them to the finals at 4 p.m., where they won all

the marbles against the host Bonnyville 12 to 7

Also in Bonnyville, the Mosquitoes No. 2 team made it all the way to the B final, playing neck and neck and only losing in the last inning. The boys really came together this past weekend as a team, making some amazing catches and plays and the coaching staff is very proud of them. Some awesome pitching by Wyatt Pavoll and Cash "CC" Capjack, Ethan Hampson hit a home run. Catchers "Mic Jager" and brother "Kid Kade" Fontaine, and Sam "Spiderman" Rogal really hustled behind the plate. Heath McNamara, his brother Spencer, Brady "Oscar" Hymanyk and Nathaniel Cousins all had lots of action in the outfield. Alex Schweigert with his long legs helped him stretch to get the outs at first.

The Bantam Sox provincial team traveled to Whitecourt this past weekend and met some tougher competition than the weekend before. Something the Sox really haven't seen much of this year is strong pitching, but they certainly did this past weekend. The Beaumont chucker did a terrific job, curve balls, change ups, knuckles, and a great four-seam fastball; he had our boys' number, the Sox losing their first game 7 to 2. But on the positive side, the only way to get better as a team is to be challenged.

In the second game against the host Whitecourt, the boys were down 9 to 4 in the top of the third inning when Corbin "Crusher" Ockerman took over in relief and allowed only two runs in the final five innings. The bats finally waking up, they battled back to win this exciting one 13 to 11.

On Sunday against Drayton Valley, the boys found themselves down in another deep hole, this time down 10 to 0 in the bottom of the fifth when they came to bat and they would been mercy without a run, but not throwing in the towel, they started a seven-run rally with the help of Dustyn "Dust Pan" Pankiw who hit a two-run, in-the-park homer to help get right back into this game and give the boys the confidence they needed. Baseball can be a real mental game, sometimes all you need is one hit to get out of a slump. As fate would have it, the sky turned very dark and ugly, the umpires were forced to call the game early in the sixth inning because of lightning. I believe the guys had momentum going their way and would have won this one too, but now we will never know.

The Sox record for June is four wins, two losses and should be enough to get them into Tier 3 for the month of July, exactly where they wanted to be at the start of the year, that's up one tier from last year.

Now for the K.A. Campbell quote of the week. "Baseball it is said is only a game. True. And the Grand Canyon is only a hole in Arizona. Not all holes, or games, are created equal." Last week's answer to: "I'm just a ball player with one ambition, and that is to give all I've got to help my ball club win. I've never played any other way." - Joe DiMaggio.

Watch for more minor ball updates next week!



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BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Lakeland College Board of Governors is pleased to announce the appointment of two new board members.



Debbie Maddex
Non-academic staff member
(two-year appointment)

Ms. Maddex began her career with Lakeland College in 1981 and has served as a senior administrative assistant in many academic and service departments at the college. Currently she is the administrative assistant to the director of College Facilities and Services. Ms. Maddex is a proud alumnus of Lakeland College.

Don Shaw
Student member
(one-year appointment)



Mr. Shaw recently graduated from the accounting technician certificate program and will return to the Lloydminster campus this fall to complete the business administration diploma program (accounting major). During the 2014-2015 academic year, the Elk Point resident made the dean's list both semesters, served as a peer tutor, and was a member of Lakeland's business case competition team.

Lakeland College Board of Governors congratulates Ms. Maddex and Mr. Shaw on their appointments.

Fun at Ferguson Flats



OLD-FASHIONED FUN was everywhere at Ferguson Flats on Sunday at the annual Family Picnic. Dustin Pinder, Tyler and Cathy Ockerman try their hand at a different kind of basketball, above left, Dean Ockerman and Chris Prymak find out how hard it is to drop coins on target, above right, while the little people tried their hand at fishing, participated in an old-style sack race, got some coaching in the pie eating contest and coached adult hoop tossers. Pie, ice cream, burgers and hot dogs were also on the menu and everyone had fun guessing the number of jelly beans in the jar.





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Multi Club

(Continued from Front Page)

Lee-Anna Gibson placed first and Morgan Evans second in the Senior division, Haili Maltais first and Lyon Cueva second in Intermediate and Shaylyn Klatt first and Delaney Nelson second in Junior.

Jove Boorse and Joshua, Elizabeth and Jessica Smith, participants in the Cleaver program, were introduced and their projects listed before Sheep project members Eros, Lyon and Wolke Cueva, Everett Smith, Carson and Nolan Vogel and Morgan Evans led their market lambs into the ring for their first competition of the day. Judge Blair Dow declared Morgan Evans as the first prize winner and Nolan Vogel as second.

The first Canine demonstration saw Darianna Boorse, Maja Harms, Shaylyn and Shyanne Klatt, Lee-Anna Gibson and a guest competitor from St. Paul put their pets through their paces on a course involving ramps, jumps and tunnels.

Craft members and their projects were introduced by Edna Kulczycki, who said she helped the craft leaders with this year's activities as part of her Leadership project.

Horse members Morgan and Sadie Baker, Morgan Evans and Delaney Nelson and a pair of horses led by Carla Nelson and CJ Best were next in the ring, with the members giving presentations on safety and grooming. Then the sheep were back for Showmanship, where Wolke Cueva collected the red ribbon for first and Morgan Evans the blue for second.

D'Arcy Evans introduced four of her six Geocaching members, MacKenzie and Morgan Evans, Carson and Nolan Vogel, and told the crowd about this very interesting project which took them in various directions and encouraged them to learn about the history and points of interest in the areas they visited. One of their members designed a coin commemorating 100 years of 4-H that they hope to be able to leave at geocaches they visit in the future. Paige and Sam Henderson are also involved in this project, she said.

Two of the most entertaining parts of the program came next, as Canine and Sheep members dressed up their animals and themselves and paraded in the Costume Class as everything from a chef leading a hot dog to a member and sheep dressed as Sumo wrestlers.

Following a break for lunch, the horses were back in the spotlight, as the girls demonstrated how to saddle and unsaddle them and put on their bridles. The Canine crew also returned to demonstrate obedience techniques.

The highlight of the afternoon was the Sheep Conformation Class, as judge Travis Dow gave all the sheep a final inspection before declaring Wolke Cueva's lamb as the Grand Champion and Morgan Evans' lamb the Reserve Champion.

There was just time for one more canine agility demonstration before the final awards of the afternoon were presented. Terry Holmgren presented his annual award for the junior member with the most positive attitude to Shaylyn Klatt, while the Spirit of 4-H award went to Intermediate member MacKenzie Evans and the Bruce Smith Memorial award to Senior member Morgan Evans. The Rate of Gain award went to Everett Smith, whose lamb gained .83 pounds per day.

Multi Club general leader Jason Boorse thanked project leaders Angie Pacholek, D'Arcy Evans, Roger Smith, Daryl Klatt and Crystal Boorse as well as MC MacKenzie Evans, who in turn thanked the crowd and judges for being part of the Achievement Day.

JUDGING WINNERS were, back row, left to right - Lyon Cueva, second Intermediate, Haili Maltais, first Intermediate, Morgan Evans, second Senior, Lee-Anna Gibson, first Senior; front, left to right - Shaylyn Klatt, first Junior and Delaney Nelson, second Junior.



THE CHAMPIONS - Conformation judge Travis Dow congratulated Wolke Cueva, owner of the Grand Champion Market Lamb, and Morgan Evans, who showed the Reserve Champion, at the end of Saturday's competition.



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SADDLING UP -Horse project members Delaney Nelson, Sadie Baker, Morgan Nelson and (not shown) Morgan Evans demonstrate saddling, while Carla Nelson and CJ Best hold the horses.



BRUCE SMITH MEMORIAL AWARD - was presented to Senior 4-H member Morgan Evans by Joshua Smith.



RATE OF GAIN WINNER - MacKenzie Evans presented the red ribbon to Everett Smith, whose market lamb gained the most weight per day of any lamb in the club.



SPIRIT OF 4-H - Intermediate member MacKenzie Evans received the Spirit of 4-H award from Darianna Boorse and overall leader Jason Boorse.



TERRY HOLMGREN presented his annual award to this year's recipient, Junior member Shaylyn Klatt.

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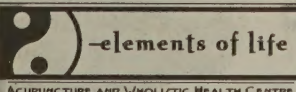
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- Excellent communication & leadership skills
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Contact Name: Coralee Poltorak**Contact e-mail:** ashlingym@yahoo.ca**Contact phone:** 780-826-5634**Club Name:** Ashlin Gymnastics Club**Website:** www.ashlingymnasticsclub.ca**1040. Careers****1040. Careers**

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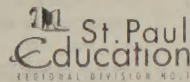
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St. Paul Education Regional Division #1

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Review wins award

Elk Point Review editor Vicki Brooker accepted the award for third place over all in our circulation category from Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association president Dave Bruba of the Consort Enterprise at the Awna's recent awards banquet. The St. Paul Journal won four prizes: first place in Sports Page, second place overall, second place Front Page and third place Editorial Page.

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BRENT DILLON gave an meaningful speech followed by an uplifting flute solo at Heinsburg Grad, where vice principal Keith Dawson held the microphone.

OBITUARY

NELSON MOOCHEWAINES, Jeanine



On June 13, 2015 Miss Jeanine Nelson Moochewaines of Frog Lake passed away at the age of 13 years. She is survived by her parents, Rita Nelson (Moyah) & Vern Nelson; biological parents, Tracey Moochewaines & John Fiddler; siblings, Thyshina Moochewaines, Waylon Moochewaines, Darren Moochewaines, Tristan Moochewaines, Tasha Moochewaines, Tanisha Moochewaines, Chelsey Crookedneck, & Tianna Crookedneck; big sister, Jenny Moochewaines; grandparents, Betty & John Moochewaines; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephew, cousins & friends. She was predeceased by her great-grandparents, Emma Cross, Maggie Moochewaines, Francis Moochewaines, Edward Paul, George Moyah & Maggie Moyah; uncle, Tony Moochewaines; aunt, Sherry Moochewaines; cousins, Jennilee Moochewaines, Daniel Moochewaines, Genevieve Moochewaines & Ronnie Moochewaines.

A Wake was held on Saturday & Sunday, June 20 & 21 at Frog Lake Career Centre, Frog Lake. A Funeral Service was held on Monday, June 22 at 11:00 a.m. at Frog Lake Career Centre, Frog Lake. Pastor Maxine Desjarlais officiated, with interment in Our Lady of Good Counsel Roman Catholic Cemetery, Frog Lake. To send condolences online, please visit: www.gracegardensfuneralchapel.com

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OBITUARY



MALCOLM ROBERT MCFADYEN

On Saturday, June 13, 2015 Mr. Malcolm Robert MCFadyen of Bonnyville, Alberta passed away at the age of 74 years. Malcolm is lovingly survived by his wife of 48 years Marjorie MCFadyen of Bonnyville, AB; daughter: Kimberly MCFadyen (Diego Carducci) of Sherwood Park, AB; son: Derek MCFadyen of Fort McMurray, AB; sister: Myrna (Bill) Fox of Elk Point, AB; sister-in-law: Chris MCFadyen of Elk Point, AB; as well as numerous nephews, nieces, cousins and other relatives. Malcolm was predeceased by his parents: Neil & Violet MCFadyen; brother: Barrie MCFadyen.

A Celebration of Malcolm's Life, Friday, June 19, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. at St. John's United Church, Bonnyville, Alberta with Reverend Stephen Sparks officiating. Umpbearer: Diego Carducci. Final resting place, St. John's United Church Cemetery, Bonnyville, Alberta. Memorial tributes in memory of Malcolm may be sent to Haying in the 30's, PO Box 35, Mallaig, AB, T0A 2K0.

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ANNIVERSARY

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July 18, 2015
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Open House 7 pm - 11 pm

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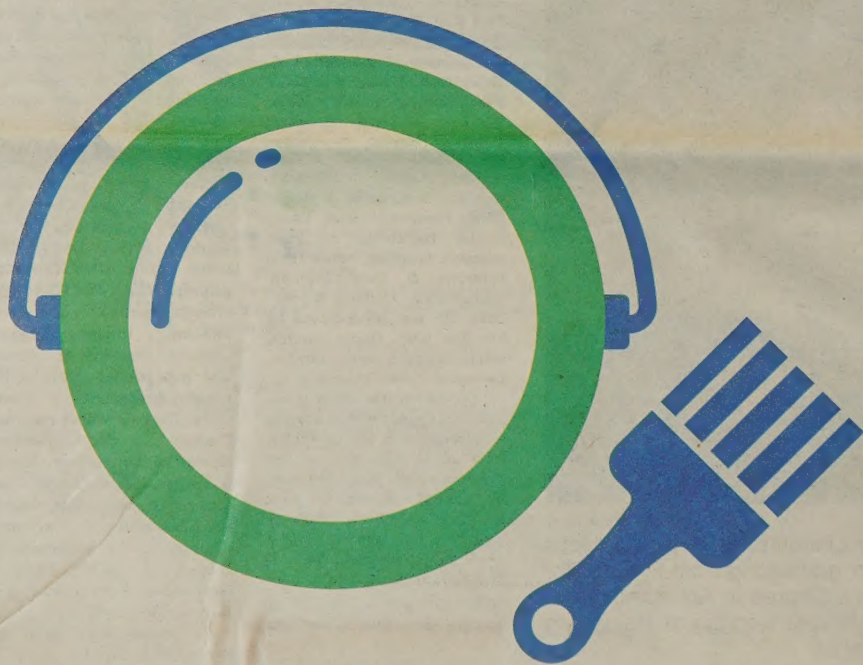


St. Paul District marks end of another 4-H year

D'ARCY EVANS
Elk Point 4-H Multi Club

On Sunday, June 14 nearly 100 4-H members and their families from across the St. Paul District gathered at the Boscombe community hall to celebrate the end of another 4-H year.

The cool, wet weather didn't dampen the spirits of these young people as they started their day off playing soccer in the rain. As the day moved forward, the sun began to shine and couple of games of slow-pitch were played before a delicious barbecued dinner was served to the hungry bunch. The evening slowed down a bit for the adults of the group, as leaders, parents and guests mingled, but not for the members as they continued with the fun, playing cards, board games and a modified game of football. The day ended with new friendships formed, plans to get together again and fond memories of the days events.



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